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Members of the Toe Jam Puppet Band will be performing at Mattapoissett's Center School this Saturday, November 13 at 1:00 pm. The Toe Jam Puppet Band plays throughout southeastern Massachusetts. Sing and dance along with members of the band as they entertain with a unique combination of original songs, masterful shadow puppetry, storytelling, and just plain old good fun.

Tickets for this performance are \$4 each or \$20 per family. Tickets are now available at the Early Childhood Office of the Old Rochester Regional School District at Sippican School, 16 Spring Street in Marion, the Schwartz Rehabilitation Center at 374 Rockdale Avenue in New Bedford, or at the door on November 13. Center School is located at 17 Barstow Street in Mattapoissett.

Proceeds from the performance will benefit Project GROW and its scholarship fund. Project GROW is an integrated public preschool serving the Old Rochester Regional School District which receives funding from Community Partnerships for Children. For more information or tickets, please contact Kim Riley at 508-763-2322 or Marybeth Kiernan at 508-758-1360.

"Seventy-Six Trombones"

The Music Man, Jr. Ready to Play ORR

Seventy-Six Trombones will most certainly lead the way as *The Music Man, Jr.* comes to Old Rochester Regional Junior High School. A part of "The Broadway

Junior Collection" with music and lyrics by Meredith Willson and book by Meredith Willson and Franklin Lacey, this adaptation of the American musical classic tells the story of fast-talking salesman Harold Hill, played by Koby Williamson, and his adventure River City, Iowa where he falls in love with town librarian Marian Paroo, played by Liz Maxey.

Julia Kantner is featured as Mrs. Paroo with Ethan Anderson appearing as the loving, lispig Winthrop. Anthony Pettinato and Chelsie Nectow are the Mayor and Mrs. Shinn trying to keep order in the town and their family when daughter Zaneeta (Jessica Shor) sneaks off with teen heartthrob Tommy (Mitch Suzan). With Kristin Solimini, Mary Kate Oien, Lucy McDonald, and Molly Plunkett leading the "Pick a Little" ladies and Kevin Zeppenfeld, Derek Selha, Matt King, and Miles Mogilnicki as the "Ice Cream" Quartet, the music is sure to be crowd-pleasing. More than 70 students, parents, and



Above: Cast members of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School's production of *The Music Man, Jr.* busily rehearse in preparation for a unique adaptation of the American musical classic, which will be held on Wednesday, November 17 and Thursday, November 18 at 7:00 pm in the ORR Junior High School Auditorium. More than 70 students, parents, and staff are involved in making this one of the Drama Club's most memorable shows. Tickets are now on sale through ORR Drama Club members or at the Junior High Office (508-758-4928).



Above: To commemorate its 20th anniversary, the Ropewalk Mall on Route 6 in Mattapoissett recently erected a nineteenth-century-styled flag pole with yard arm and gaffe that is reminiscent of the whaling industry. Here workers put up the new structure on a site which was once adjacent to a rope factory that was an integral part of Mattapoissett's ship-building heritage, hence the name. The strip mall has been home to six retail businesses since opening in

1984. (Photo courtesy of Wayne Walega).

Cover: Members of the popular local children's act The Toe Jam Puppet Band will be performing at Mattapoissett's Center School on Saturday, November 13 at 1:00 pm in a benefit for Project GROW. Tickets are \$4 each or \$20 per family and are now available by calling 508-763-2322 or 508-758-1360. Tickets will also be available at the door.

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"The Eleventh Hour"

Honoring America's War Veterans

To commemorate Veterans Day on November 11, the tri-town communities are holding both a parade and ceremony to honor America's valiant veterans.

The Florence Eastman Post 280 American Legion will sponsor Mattapoisett's Annual Veterans Day Ceremony on Thursday, November 11, 2004 at Old Hammondtown School beginning at 11:00 am. The program of activities will include: Post of the Colors (Mattapoisett Police Department); Pledge of Allegiance; Opening Remarks (Commander Mike Lamoureux); Prayer (Father Mullaney, St. Anthony's Church); Old Hammondtown March (Old Hammondtown School Band); State Representative Address; Veterans Agent Mattapoisett/Rochester (Barry Denham); America/My Country 'Tis of Thee (Old Hammondtown School Band); Lift Every Voice and Sing (Old Hammondtown School Chorus); Principal Speaker (Colonel Joseph F. Napoli, II, US Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA); America the

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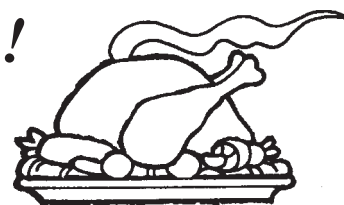
Beautiful (Old Hammondtown School Chorus); Star Spangled Banner (Old Hammondtown School Band); Retiring of the Colors (Mattapoisett Police Department). This year's ceremony has been respectfully dedicated to the memory of John N. DeCosta (February 25, 1926 - September 16, 2004) for his many years of service to the veterans of the community.

The Marion/Wareham Veterans Day Parade Committee has announced that the Annual Veterans Day Parade will be held in Marion on Thursday, November 11, 2004. The theme is "Support Our Troops." The parade will form at 12:30 pm on Park, Main and Spring Streets in Marion. The parade will step off precisely at 1:30 pm. All units are encouraged to be prompt. The parade will start at the corner of Spring and Main Streets and proceed



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Refreshments will be served after the parade at the VFW Pavilion on Route 6 in Marion. In the event of rain, services will be held at 1:30 pm in the VFW Pavilion on Route 6 in Marion.

Flu Vaccinations

Tri-Towns To Offer Limited Flu Clinics

• MATTAPOISETT

The Mattapoisett Board of Health has received 350 doses of flu vaccine for *Mattapoisett residents only* who fall into any one of the following high risk categories as determined by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health.

Based on the most recent information about the influenza vaccine supply in the Commonwealth, it will be necessary to prioritize existing doses for those individuals who have the greatest risk of severe complications or life threatening illness from influenza and some categories of health care workers. The Massachusetts Department of Public Health has determined that health care providers should use the limited supply of inactivated influenza vaccine for individuals in the following high risk categories, which are considered of equal importance:

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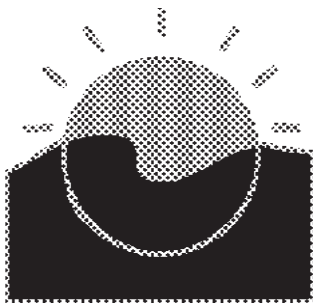
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- Any other individual who is in a high risk category, as defined by the October 5, 2004 Recommendations of the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices, and who, in the professional judgment of their health care provider, is at high risk for severe complications or life threatening illness from influenza. (Physician's note required).

In order to fairly distribute the limited supply of vaccine to the Town's high risk population, the following management plan has been implemented and will remain in effect throughout the 2004 – 2005 flu season.

• INFLUENZA VACCINE DISTRIBUTION MANAGEMENT PLAN

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2. A drawing of pooled names to match the number of vaccine doses available will take place on Wednesday, November 17, 2004.

3. Only those individuals whose names are drawn from the pool will be notified to attend a vaccination clinic. \$10.00 will be charged at the clinic to support our public health services.

4. Names can be added to the pool throughout the 2004-2005 flu season by completing the pre-screening paperwork at the Nurse's Office located at the Mattapoisett Town Hall during normal business hours. (Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00 am – 11:00 am).

5. As more vaccine becomes available, names will continue to be drawn from the pool and residents notified accordingly.

Vaccination of eligible homebound residents will begin immediately. If you are a homebound resident unable to attend a public clinic, please notify the Mattapoisett Board of Health at 508-758-4112.

It is important for the public to be aware that this plan eliminates the health and safety risks and hazards associated with waiting in line for extended periods of time in the hopes of securing a flu shot.

• MARION

The Marion Board of Health has received 240 doses of flu vaccine for *Marion residents only* who fall into any one of the following high risk categories as determined by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health.

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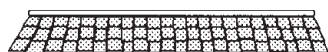
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pm at the Marion Town Hall, 2 Spring Street. Required paperwork will be completed at this time.

2. A drawing of pooled names to match the number of vaccine doses available will take place on Tuesday, November 16, 2004.

3. Only those individuals whose names are drawn from the pool will be notified to attend a vaccination clinic. \$10.00 will be charged at the clinic to support our public health services.

4. Names can be added to the pool throughout the 2004-2005 flu season by completing the pre-screening paperwork at the Marion Board of Health office during normal business hours. (The Board of Health office will be closed on November 17, 18, 24, 25).

5. As more vaccine becomes available, names will continue to be drawn from the pool and residents notified accordingly.

Vaccination of eligible homebound residents will begin immediately. If you are a homebound resident unable to attend a public clinic, please notify the Marion Board of Health at 508-748-3530.

It is important for the public to be aware that this plan eliminates the health and safety risks and hazards associated with waiting in line for extended periods of time in the hopes of securing a flu shot.

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Vaccine, we will prioritize the limited number of doses available for those individuals who have the greatest risk of severe complications. The Board of Health will continue to monitor the influenza vaccine supply from the state. As doses become available, high risk groups will be offered the vaccine. Please continue to check out *The Wanderer* for additional information.

Rochester Selectmen's Meeting

November 8, 2004

By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, November 8 at 6:56 pm by Chairman Gary Laboa. Also present were Selectman Richard Nunes, Selectman Bradford Morse, Town Administrator James Huntoon, and Administrative Assistant Veronica Lafreniere.

The board first approved the minutes of the November 1 Regular and Executive Session meetings, with minor corrections from Selectman Morse.

Under the Town Administrator's report, Mr.



Animal Advice

Jay Gould, DVM

Ticks

I found a few ticks on my dog last week. I thought that tick season was over?

Unfortunately, tick season is just starting again. Ticks like cool weather so we see them mostly in the spring and fall.

When is it safe to stop using Frontline to kill the ticks?
Who knows! It depends on the weather. The past winters have been persistently cold so we could stop using anti-tick products in December. If we have warmer weeks this winter, where daytime temperatures are over 32 for a few days in a row, we will see ticks at those times. If it remains cold, we may not need to use tick products until March or April.

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Huntoon reported that for the first time in recent memory 100 percent of the known dogs in town — 1,034 to be exact — have been licensed by Animal Control Officer (ACO) Alex Wheeler. Mr. Huntoon said Mr. Wheeler made it a personal goal to have all the dogs in town licensed this year. The board voted to send Mr. Wheeler a letter commending him on this effort.

Mr. Huntoon next noted the board is meeting with the Personnel Board on Tuesday, November 9 at 7:00 pm at the Rochester Police Station; they are meeting on Wednesday night with fellow Selectmen from Mattapoisett and Marion and the Tri-Town Finance Committees (FinComs) at 7:00 pm at ORR High School; there is a Special Town Meeting slated for Monday, November 15 at 7:00 pm at the Rochester Memorial School; and the town's Annual Christmas Tree Lighting will be held on Monday, December 6 beginning at 6:00 pm outside Town Hall.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, the board received payment from SEMASS in lieu of taxes in the amount of \$257,905 for 95,056 tons of trash collected during the month of October 2004. "It's substantially lower than (October 2003), so we're going to be running close (to meeting) last year's total," Chairman Laboa noted.

The board next signed and approved Local Cultural Council (LCC) Disclosure Forms for the following grantees: Tri-County Music Association (\$400); Memorial School Plimoth Program (\$730); Memorial

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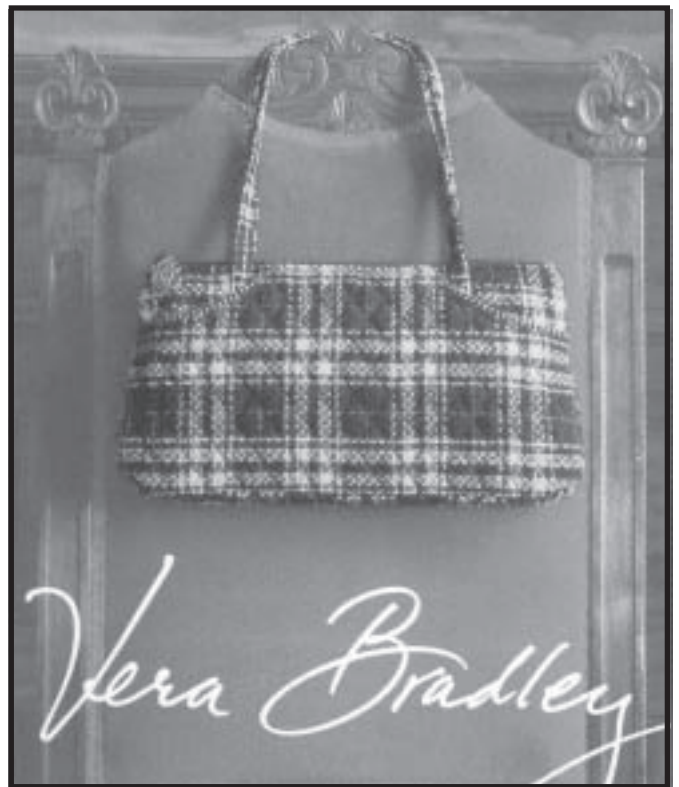
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Under Old Business, Chairman Laboa said he's gotten some response from the recent Tri-Town Selectmen's meeting. He said he's heard pros and cons to both sides of the controversial \$200 "transportation fee" being assessed by ORR High School to students taking the bus to school. The Selectmen are meeting jointly with representatives from ORR, their fellow Tri-Town Selectmen, and members of the tri-town Finance Committees on Wednesday, November 10 at ORR High School.

The board also received two Requests for Proposals (RFPs) for leasing space as a potential "Town Hall Annex." Mr. Huntoon noted the bids were quite different in price: \$1,650 a month for soon-to-be-renovated 2,300 square feet of space at the Rochester Women's Club on Route 105 versus \$3,000 a month for 3,000 square feet of space at the Plumb Corner Mall across the street from the existing Town Hall.

The board members said that both bidders seemed to meet all the RFP requirements and this matter would have to go before voters at the Special Town Meeting on Monday, November 15.

"One of the options you have is to put it on the floor at Town Meeting ... and let them decide," Mr. Huntoon said.

"If we're going to support it, I think we should have a recommendation ready," Chairman Laboa said.

"In looking at these two RFPs, snow removal and that type of thing wasn't on the Women's Club proposal," Selectman Morse said. "Was it in the (specs) that they should provide that? If that's covered, my recommendation would be to go with the Women's Club ... for \$1,350 less."

"The other question is if the Women's Club is going to be available April 1, do we want to wait until the

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start of the fiscal year (to move)?" Chairman Laboa said. "The budget we created was \$40,000 based on a January 1 occupancy date. If we're not moving until April 1, then \$30,000 should be more than sufficient."

The board agreed the total amount could be amended on Town Meeting floor if the opted to go with the Women's Club proposal.

"Because it's a non-profit organization and because they're putting the work into it, I would recommend that if there is going to be a leasing by the town that we go with the Rochester Women's Club," Selectman Nunes said.

"This would be for a three-year lease," Chairman Laboa said. "The space across the street is better space and more efficient, but I can't discount the difference in price."

The board agreed to present their recommendation to lease the 2,300 square feet of additional space at the Rochester Women's Club as a Town Hall Annex at a cost of \$19,800 a year for a three-year lease. The monthly cost would be \$1,650 or \$8.61 per square foot per year.

Under New Business, Selectman Nunes asked his



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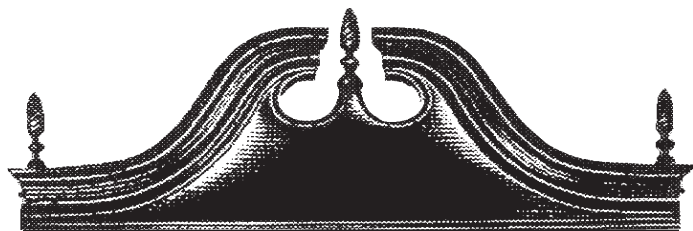


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fellow board members if the town should sponsor a Christmas Party for all town boards and employees at the Rochester Senior Center. "I think it could be more like a pot luck thing ... everybody bring something," he said. "We haven't had any type of social event for the town employees and volunteers (in some time)."

"I think that idea has some merit," Chairman Laboa said. "I mean, why not? But I think we should pick a date soon because the holidays are coming fast."

The board agreed to look into holding this get-together during the week between Christmas and New Years, since many other holiday events will be taking place prior to that week.

In other matters, the board discussed some of the issues they plan to bring before the Personnel Board this week, including what they feel is an urgent need for a Personnel Administrator.

"We need a Personnel Administrator to make day-to-day decisions ... and handle procedural matters," Chairman Laboa said.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 7:40 pm.

Sports Shorts

Mattapoisett Recreation

Following are the latest results in the **Mattapoisett Recreation Department's Fourth Grade Basketball** match-ups.

• **Providence College vs. Holy Cross:** The PC Friars ended up on top thanks to the great efforts of **Katelyn Cummings, Olivia Decas, Katie Wilbur,** and **Tommy Gammell.** Katelyn, playing point guard, played great heads-up ball finding the open players. Olivia contributed with many assists and key offensive rebounds. Katie was high scorer with 10 points. Tommy



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played an awesome defensive game pulling down rebounds, preventing shots, and stealing the ball.

The Holy Cross Crusaders fought a hard battle, despite being short several players. **Everett Coulter**, **Kylie Faison**, **Quinn Henshaw**, **Kurt Kroninger**, and **Casey Silveira** played a great game on both ends of the court. The five Crusaders played hard for the whole game!

• **UConn Over Boston College: Jimmy Gamache** scored an impressive 16 points to lead the UConn Huskies over the BC Eagles. **Brian Tranfaglia** was a force on the boards with 6 rebounds and 3 steals. **Isabelle Gillis** played great defense and pulled down 5 rebounds.

Andre Fontaine was the Eagles' "playmaker" setting picks and making great passes. **Greg Valentgas** led the team with 6 points and **Ben Coucci** dominated on defense tying up the ball and aggressive rebounding.

• **Boston College Wins 'Nailbiter' Over Providence College:** Eagle guards **Andre Fontaine** and **Alex Gordon** exhibited great ball handling and passing to help lead their team to victory. **Greg Valentgas** led the offense with 10 points. **Will Coucci** dominated the boards while **Chris Tippins** and **Ben Coucci** played great all-around defense.

The coaches for the Friars were very pleased with the teamwork their Friars displayed. Excellent passing by point guard **Kevin Tripp** ... terrific movement and cutting to the hoop by forwards **Katelyn Cummings** and **Tommy Gammell** ... awesome steals by center **Alex Buckley** ... solid defense by **Olivia Decas** and **Katie Wilbur** ... and

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To the Editor:

The Wanderer article highlighting the comments made at a meeting of Tri-Town Select Board members, evidently in part in preparation for the November 10 school budget meeting, developed some points that warrant a response.

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- The most detailed versions of the ORR budget as well as the budgets of the three elementary districts are always available to anyone who is interested. With respect to the FY '05 budget now in place, Finance Committee leaders in all three towns did scrutinize the numbers and knew clearly what was included and what was not.

- The provision for bus fees in FY '05 was made a part of the budget at the same time that the controversy over Latin at ORR was in front of everyone. Though the actual assessment



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effort was late and somewhat rushed, the matter of bus fees being a revenue source in FY '05 was determined last winter and included in budget documents reviewed by Finance Committee members.

- The ORR financial records are fully audited by an independent firm each year, usually in the late summer following the close of the fiscal year. The reports are public documents. In addition, the accountability standards enforced by the MA Department of Education and the MA Department of Revenue and the federal government for every aspect of public school operations make the assertion that the school management is not checked by outside controls appear to be rather hollow.

- Though the dissolution of Superintendency Union #55 would undoubtedly shift certain aspects of school decision making to the respective Town Halls and add to the bureaucracy therein, it is highly unlikely that tax money would be saved. Replicating the various supervisory services that would be required on an independent basis would, in all probability, cost the towns more money. That is particularly true when ORR's administrative costs are factored into the equation. It might be wise to check the experiences and expenses in other MA districts before making a move to dissolve the Superintendency Union. A comment made toward the end of the article about redundant inspection officers serves to illustrate the point that the school departments in the three towns may, in fact, be ahead of the curve with respect to coordination. We have only one curriculum coordinator for the four school districts.

- Having the towns or the school districts own the school buses is a concept that School Committee members and administrators would be more than willing to explore. It was discussed with Finance Committee members last year during the bus bid process. If there is a way to reduce the cost of bus

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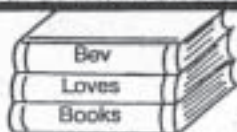
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service we would certainly be eager to pursue same. Wareham is struggling with the cost of replacing a school bus fleet that is becoming ancient in a hurry. New Bedford uses an outside contractor.

• As has been the case too often in the past, Old Rochester Regional seems to be the favored whipping target for town officials. High schools, and to a lesser extent middle schools, are relatively complex service operations, and their clients are also appropriately complex, often going through the best and the worst days of their young lives in a very short space of time. The Tri-Town communities have a first-rate public high school with terrific youngsters, a dedicated staff and, in general, a very positive spirit. The school should be a point of pride for the three towns, and in large measure, we believe that it is.

However, the position of the school and the primacy of its mission are most definitely influenced by what members of the community and particularly the leaders say and do about it. We build our own prophecies. Should ORR be seen as the cause of insufficient funds for infrastructure needs in the towns or should citizens be proud of the fact that they are investing in the educational experiences of the young people of the community and working hard to support the next generation of Select Board members, fire fighters, and community volunteers. Forward-looking communities don't resent the investment that they make in their educational systems. The investment usually pays dividends for those communities.

We look forward to working together on the FY '06 budget development effort, and intend to do our part to be entirely accountable for all aspects of the programs included by the School Committees and administrative staffers for public support.

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To the Editor:

If residents are concerned about their property taxes going up, then they should show up at the November 15 Special Town Meeting at Rochester Memorial School because they can do something about it.

Article 5 on the warrant is asking for \$29,000 to least Town Hall office space and \$11,000 for remodeling Town Hall. First of all, this expenditure is not necessary. This article came

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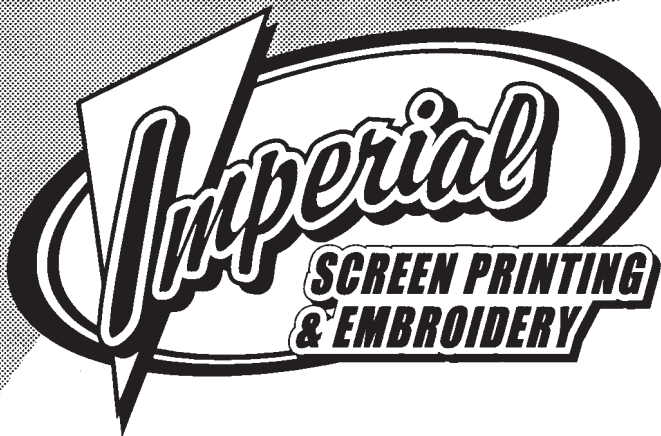
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about because some town employees want larger offices. However, this is a matter of inconvenience — not of necessity. Town services to the public are not being compromised.

Renting office space is simply a waste of money. It is estimated that leasing office space would run approximately \$3,000 a month. That is \$36,000 a year. In ten years that's \$360,000 and in 15 years \$540,000. This is money being thrown right out the window.

Town Hall is in violation of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). How does renting office space at \$36,000 a year at Plumb Corner or the Women's Club make Town Hall in compliance with ADA? It doesn't.

If residents feel that additional space is necessary, then I suggest a modular or Morten Building at Town Hall to create additional space and make Town Hall in compliance with the ADA (requirements). If that's not possible, then I suggest a Morten Building on Dexter Lane where there is gas and water hookup. Any way you slice it, an addition owned by the town will pay for itself. Renting office space is simply a waste of money.

Sincerely,
Richard D. Nunes
Rochester Selectman

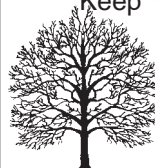
To the Editor:

Marion's recent Town Meeting was an example of what can happen when a whole town is asleep at the switch. Our town boards failed us. Once again the town has failed to communicate with and explain issues to its citizens. Elected officials turned tail and ran when confronted with an angry mob of lot owners who felt they had been robbed of their rights from zoning articles passed in 1996 and 1999, despite the five

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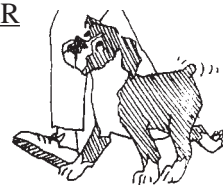
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It wasn't wrong for the lot owners to propose Article 15, restoring their rights to build on undersize lots forever, after all, that's "taking care of number one." It was wrong of the town boards to favor them and forget the other 90 percent of us, who are now doomed to bear the financial burden of this favoritism. To elaborate:

- Shame on the Planning Board for not putting an explanatory article (in plain English) in the paper telling us what the proposed zoning changes would mean to us.
- Shame on the Finance Committee for abdicating responsibility and actually saying "no financial impact" in the warrant.
- Shame on the Selectmen for not heading this all off at the pass. In fact, they actually encouraged it.
- Shame on us citizens for not going to Town Meeting, and for not insisting that we be well-informed, so that we can make intelligent decisions on issues like Article 15.

By passing Article 15, a petition article submitted by folks who felt they had lost money due to zoning changes in 1996 and 1999, Town Meeting has put a tremendous financial burden on the town as a whole.

The voting body was stacked with those who had proposed the article. The rest of us stayed home or left early, and now all of us must pay, and pay, and pay.

A few facts:

- Article 15 will allow 180 new houses on lots that are all undersized by today's zoning. Some are only 5,000 square feet! 35 are in the v-zone, requiring stilt houses.
- This is three times the impact of the Mecke development, and more impact than the dreaded 40B! At least the 40B is required to have affordable units and will likely appeal to older families, or those with few or no kids.

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The sad thing is, there were some equitable solutions proposed that would have protected the citizens as a whole, and still allowed the lot owners to realize profits on their land. These solutions died at the Planning Board level and on Town Meeting floor, never having been explained to the citizens as a whole.

We are now headed in the wrong direction, towards a bigger town with faster growth. If this trend is not reversed, and soon, the school, new sewer plant, and water supply will be outstripped by our prolific growth. Bye-bye Growth Management!

What we want to ask ourselves is : do we want to be informed or do we want to go on with our heads in the sand, as usual? This lack of communication and explanation is an ongoing problem in town. Because the warrant is so hard to understand, I assume that Marion voters didn't see what was going on, or else they would have turned out in droves for Town Meeting. If you now realize what happened, and if you are as upset as I am, you must flood the Selectmen with demands for better communication. That's the only way to get it. We must also become a mob, a mob demanding to be informed of these issues that are so important to our town.

So, welcome to some *real* tax burdens, Marion, and shame on us all if we don't demand a town government that works for us, *all of us*, instead of special interest groups.

Sincerely,

Annie Rockwell

Marion

To the Editor:

In December 2002, Marion's Zoning Board of Appeals

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Citizens for Responsible Growth (CRG) is not against the development of affordable housing in Marion. We strongly support the Marion Housing Committee's Local Initiative Program and its other ongoing, innovative efforts to develop affordable housing at a responsible rate and on a scale taxpayers can absorb reasonably while meeting the requirements of the 40B law. But we do believe that the size of the proposed 192-unit Bay Watch project (it could increase our population by 10 percent in one fell swoop) will put unreasonable demands on our town and its present taxpayers.

As we have done for all previous hearings held in Boston, CRG has chartered a bus to take concerned residents to attend the hearing. So far almost 50 residents have attended one or more of the hearings, and our presence has been noted by the HAC. As this will be the last hearing before the HAC makes its decision, we think it is important to have a very strong contingent of Marion residents present.

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Sincerely,
Carol Sanz
Citizens for Responsible Growth, Marion

To the Editor:

(The Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen's) further consideration of means to improve the cell phone reception in

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November 28th PJ Morning It's that time again Ladies to don those crazy holiday jammies and fill out your wish lists. We will treat you to champagne mimosas and light continental breakfast. As always be prepared for special treats! 9 - 11

December 4th Delightful Delicacies Win Hames is performing cooking magic for all of our guests. Try something deliciously new and bring home some treats for your family and winter guests. 11 - 2

December 5th Book Signing and Artist Introduction Local author Stephen Rogers will be joining us to sign his wonderful new book *The Rocking Chair Reader*, laden with short stories and heartwarming journeys. Artist Lissa Lou will be doing a signing and sharing her artistic creations with us! **Archipelago** representative Jean Saccoach will also be joining us with samples and raffle items for our favorite body care line. Archipelago lotions can cure even the driest of winter worn hands. 11 - 3

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Yes, I know wireless telephone towers are unsightly, but so are dozens of miles of telephone wires strung on poles around the town. More and more people, especially younger ones, are getting rid of their land line phones and going completely wireless. It is a trend that the town should accommodate.

Sincerely,
Adrian L. Lonsdale
Mattapoisett

To the Editor:

The Friends of Paul Hubbard would like to thank all the people who attended, all the people and businesses that so graciously donated the gifts for the raffles, and all the workers who made the fundraiser that was held on October 1, 2004 a complete success. We could not have accomplished anything without the help of each one of you. With the proceeds, we were able to purchase the hospital bed that Paul desperately needed. Thanks again!

Sincerely,
The Friends of Paul Hubbard
Mattapoisett/Fairhaven

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Rochester Safety Grant

Rochester Police Chief Paul H. Magee announced the Rochester Police Department received a \$8,400 grant to conduct extra traffic enforcement during the third year of the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau's (GHSB) "Click It or Ticket," and "You Drink & Drive, You Lose" Campaigns. Funding has also been provided for the first statewide "Road Respect Campaign" targeting aggressive driving and speeding. The grant also includes funding for traffic safety equipment and education. The GHSB, a program of the Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety, is providing \$3.7 million in grant funding for these three campaigns to 265 local police departments and to the State Police.

The first Click It or Ticket Mobilization will take place from November 15 to 28.

"This Click It or Ticket Mobilization will reduce the danger we all face from motor vehicle crashes during the heavily-traveled Thanksgiving Holiday period," said Chief Magee. "In addition to preventing aggressive and impaired driving and speeding, this mobilization will



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The GHSB's Click It or Ticket, You Drink & Drive, You Lose, and Road Respect Campaigns, made possible by federal highway safety grants, combine traffic enforcement, public information, as well as community education. The Click It or Ticket Campaign helped to increase Massachusetts safety belt use from 51 percent in 2002 to 63 percent in 2004. The You Drink & Drive, You Lose Campaign contributed to a decline in Massachusetts alcohol-related fatalities from 49 to 45 percent between 2002 and 2003. For more information, go to www.mass.gov/ghsb.

Chief Magee provided the following information on safety belts, booster seats and child safety seats:

- Safety belts reduce the risk of death or serious injury in a motor vehicle crash by up to half. Yet a 2004 statewide survey conducted by the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau found only 63 percent of front seat occupants wear safety belts in Massachusetts as compared to 80 percent belt use nationwide. The lowest usage rate was among teen drivers at 60 percent.

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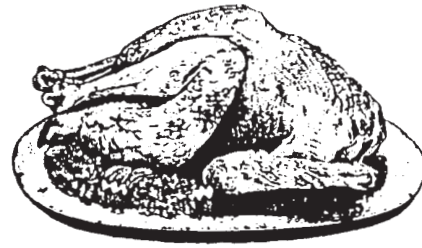
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- Children 12 years of age and under, especially those riding in a rear-facing child safety seat, should always ride properly restrained in the back seat away from an air bag.

Beer and Wine Tasting

The Tri-Town Charity Runners will be hosting a Beer and Wine Tasting on Sunday, December 5 from 4:00 to 7:00 pm. It will be held at Turk's Seafood on Route 6 in Mattapoissett. The cost is \$10 per person. Tickets can be purchased in advance or at the door. For more information, please call Marissa Hughes at 508-763-9003. All proceeds will benefit The Greater Boston Food Bank.

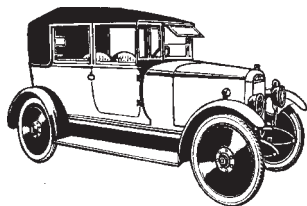
ORR's Christmas Carol

As the holidays grow nearer, so does Old Rochester Regional High School's production of *A Christmas Carol*. The production is based on Charles Dickens' beloved holiday classic and will be presented in the Gilbert D. Bristol Auditorium of ORR High School in

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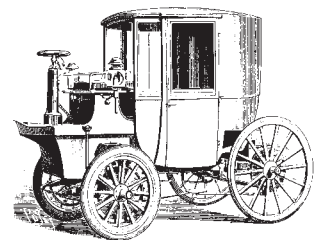
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Mattapoisett. The show times are as follows: Thursday, December 2, at 8:00 pm; Friday, December 3, at 8:00 pm; Saturday, December 4, at 8:00 pm, and Sunday, December 5, at 2:00 pm.

A multitude of talented cast members of all ages, including students from ORR Junior High and the surrounding elementary schools will all grace the stage in this production's fourth unveiling in ORR's history. The play is directed by Paul Sardinha. Martin Pasquil takes up the role of the parsimonious old Scrooge. Other notable characters include Charles Johnson as Jacob Marley, Evan Barry plays the loveable patriarch Bob Cratchit, and the young Dan Duggan as the immortally beloved Tiny Tim.

Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and



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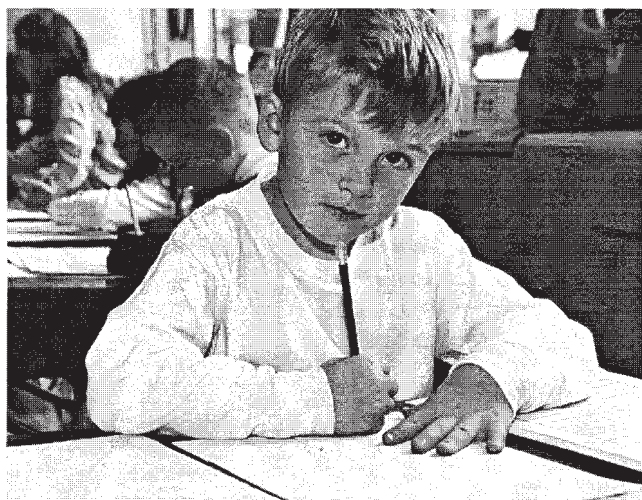


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The Old Rochester Regional High School Drama Club cordially invites tri-town senior citizens to the final dress performance of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* on Wednesday, December 1 at 7:30 pm in the Gilbert D Bristol Auditorium. Admission for this dress performance is free and donations for local food pantries are welcome.

For tickets please contact the Marion, Mattapoisett or Rochester Council on Aging, or call Kathy Marx at ORR at 508-758-3745.

FORD Benefit Auction

The Friends of the Old Rochester Drama Club (FORD) will present their First Annual Time and Talent Action on November 19, 2004 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm in the ORR Cafeteria. Get a head start on your holiday gift selections while enjoying music with complementary dessert and coffee bar. Drama Club director Paul Sardinha will provide seasonal music, accompanied by ORR drama students and FORD members.

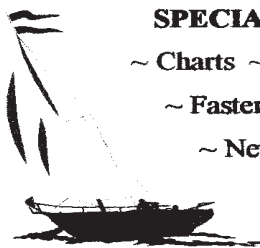
Auction items include a variety of specialty services, such as musical services for weddings or special occasions, music lessons and an entire band willing to assist you in planning your special event! Many students have blocks of time for auction, willing to help community members with yard work, house or garage cleaning. Babysitting services and gift wrapping are available for holiday functions. *No time to bake?* Consider bidding on several of the holiday baked goods, cheese cakes or fudge. Custom cuisine services available for preparation and delivery for family meals. Not enough time for house painting? Then consider FORD members for bathroom painting. And for the person who has everything, may we suggest valet parking, manicures, crew lessons or a one-hour sightseeing plane ride for three people.

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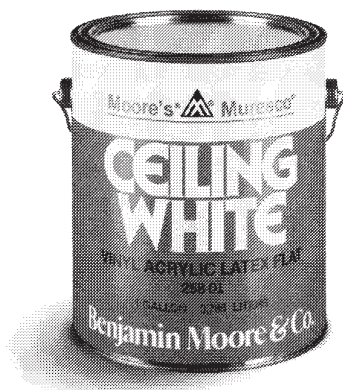
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ORR Driver Education

Enrollment for the next Driver Education class at Old Rochester Regional High School is now taking place. Due to a change in state law, a student must be at least 15 years, 9 months of age on or before November 29, 2004 in order to enroll in the class. Students from ORR will be given first available seats.

Please call the Martin Auto School at 508-999-3832 for further information. Registration period for ORR High School students only will be on November 17 and 18 in the high school cafeteria, 10:42 to 11:07 and 12:11 to 12:36. Those wishing to register for this class who are not students of ORR High School, please call the Martin Auto School directly to register. The class will be scheduled to begin on Monday, November 29, 2004. The classes will be held Monday through Thursday at ORR High School in Room 249 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm and run for three and a half weeks. The course cost is \$200. This includes 30 hours of classroom, six hours behind the wheel, and six hours of observation.

Mattapoisett Council on Aging

Note: The Mattapoisett Council on Aging's move to Center School was delayed one week to allow installation of some security equipment, but as of November 15 the COA will be in the new rooms at Center School. Please enter at the main entrance, parking across the street near the church carriage shed. The phone number is still 508-758-4110 and the Senior Center is open 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

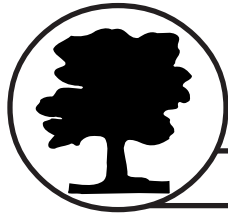
- **Monday, November 15** – Water Aerobics 8:00 am; SHINE Counselor 9:30 am; Garden Club 10:00 am; Fairhaven Marts 1:00 pm;
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- **Sunday, November 21** – Thanksgiving Dinner at ORR High School Cafeteria, doors open at 11:15 am with dinner served at 12:00 noon. Please call the COA office (508-758-4110) to reserve a space and arrange for a ride, if needed.

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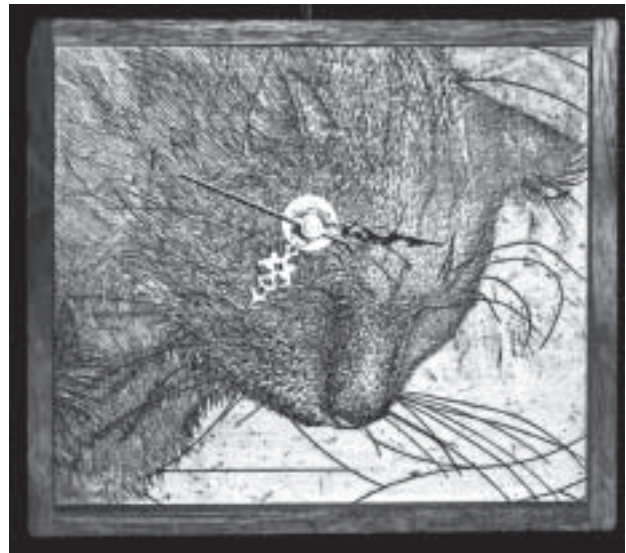
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ORR Drama

The ORR High School Drama Club has cordially invited area seniors to the final dress rehearsal of *A Christmas Carol*. The performance will be held on December 1 at 7:30 pm in the ORR High School Auditorium. The COA has FREE tickets to this event.

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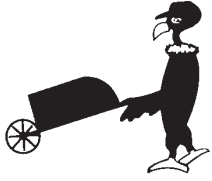


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Monday, November 15 from 7:00 to 7:30 pm;
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Mattapoisett Book Fair

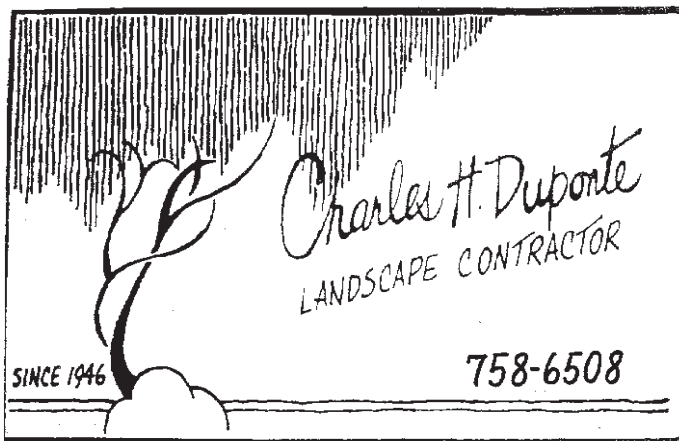
Once again it is that time of year for the Annual
Center School Book Fair. This year and as in year's past,
the proceeds of the fair will directly benefit the Library at
Center School. The Family Day and Night will be on
Thursday, November 18 from 9:00 to 11:00 am and 3:00 to
8:00 pm. It will be held in the cafeteria at the school.
Please come by on November 18 and start your holiday
shopping and support the Library at Center School.

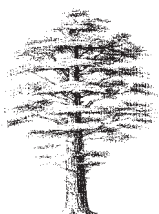
Marion Chicken Barbecue

The Benjamin D. Cushing Post 2425 Veterans of
Foreign Wars (VFW) of Marion has announced a Texas-
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November 14 with pick up between 12:00 noon and 1:00
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Demeo (508-748-0312); Joseph Napoli (508-748-2799);
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5047); John Robarge (508-295-9107); or Harry Brown Jr.
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Tri-Town Business Association

The Tri-Town Business Association continues to
meet the third Wednesday of the month from 7:45 to 9:00
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Currently membership includes many key local business and school leaders including the Superintendents of both Old Rochester and Old Colony, the owner of the areas largest auto dealership, representatives of three local banks, cranberry bog owners, financial planners, architects, consulting engineers, surveyors, entrepreneurs who own book stores, flower boutiques, clothing designers, and numerous other businesses.

This is your opportunity to network with fellow businessmen and women, share ideas and make contacts. For additional information, please call Woody Hartley (508-763-2463) or Valerie Nichols (508-748-2919).

School Committee Meetings

Following is a schedule of School Committee Meetings for November, 2004:

- Tuesday, November 16 at 6:30 pm: ORR District School Committee at ORR High School;
- Wednesday, November 17 at 6:30 pm: Marion School Committee at Sippican School;



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• Thursday, November 18 at 7:00 pm: Rochester School Committee at Memorial School.

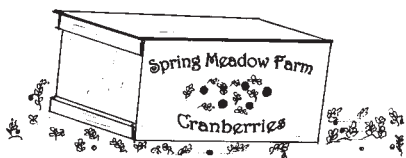
Rochester Council on Aging

- **Thursday, November 11** – Center Closed (Veterans Day);
- **Friday, November 12** – 1:30 pm: Movie: *The Sting* with Paul Newman and Robert Redford;
- **Monday, November 15** – Fuller Museum;
- **Tuesday, November 16** – 9:00 am: Bowling at Bowl Mor Lanes; 10:30 am: Vision Services (MAB Speaker); 11:30 am: Lunch; 1:00 pm: Exercise;
- **Wednesday, November 17** – 8:30 am: Shopping; 1:00 to 3:00 pm: Line Dancing;
- **Thursday, November 18** – 9:00 to 11:00 am: Busy Bees; 10:30 to 11:30 am: Blood Pressure; 11:30 am: Lunch; 1:00 pm: Exercise; 5:00 pm: Thanksgiving Dinner at Rochester Memorial School;
- **Friday, November 19** – 8:30 to 9:30 am: Women's Breakfast;
- **Saturday, November 20** – 9:30 to 10:30 am: SERVE Pickup;
- **Sunday, November 21** – Thanksgiving Dinner at ORR Junior High School;
- **Monday, November 22** – Filene's at Dartmouth Mall;
- **Tuesday, November 23** – 9:00 am: Bowling; 11:30 am: Lunch; 1:00 pm: Exercise;
- **Wednesday, November 24** – 8:30 am: Shopping; 1:00 to 3:00 pm: Line Dancing;
- **Thursday, November 25** – Center Closed (Thanksgiving);
- **Friday, November 26** – Center Closed (Thanksgiving Holiday);
- **Monday, November 29** – IMAX Theater: *The Polar Express* in 3-D (cost \$7.50); 9:00 am: Bowling;
- **Tuesday, November 30** – 10:00 am: Computer Classes; 11:30 am: Lunch; 1:00 pm: Exercise.

Sippican Woman's Club

The Sippican Woman's Club will celebrate its 100th anniversary with a special luncheon at the Wamsutta Club Friday, November 12 at 12:30 pm. The club was originally organized in 1904 to provide "social

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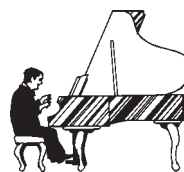


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and intellectual improvement" for Marion women. It has evolved into a women's organization incorporated in 1923 intending to be "social, educative and humanitarian in purpose." The club's annual fund-raiser, the Holiday House Tour, generates revenues used to provide Scholarship Awards and other charitable donations to community organizations. The Woman's Club awarded \$12,500 in scholarship awards to Marion students in 2004 and has pledged to award \$15,000 in 2005.

Scheduled for December 11, 2004, this year's Holiday House Tour theme, "Mother Goose Winterfest," promises to lift the spirits for all attendees. The tour begins at Handy's Tavern on Front Street in Marion and continues at five other locations in the village and surrounding area. In keeping with the theme, the Tavern décor will showcase over 30 Mother Goose nursery rhymes. The Tavern will also be open the following day, December 12, for the annual Christmas Stroll.

Mattapoissett Maconchu Club

The next meeting of the Mattapoissett Maconchu Club will be held on Saturday, November 20 in Reynard Hall at the Mattapoissett Congregational Church, 27 Church Street, at 7:30 pm. The speaker will be Martin Smith, a former prisoner of war. Mr. Smith was a tail gunner of his plane during World War II and was shot down over a small town in France. There will, of course, be refreshments served after the meeting, along with coffee and tea. Everyone is invited to hear this very interesting speaker.

On December 18 the club will have their Annual Christmas Party which will consist of a delicious meal catered by Riccardi's and punch and hors d'oeuvres served beforehand. There will also be a program of Christmas legends and carols. They hope everyone will come, regardless of membership, and make it a community Christmas Party!

ORR Screening Clinic

On Monday, November 22 at Sippican School in Marion, an expanded screening clinic for families with young children will be offered by the Old Rochester

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Regional School District. Through a collaboration with area Early Intervention programs, screenings are available for children from birth up to age five. Children who live in Marion, Mattapoisett or Rochester are eligible for appointments. The purpose of the screening is to identify young children with potential learning problems.

Children will be led through a series of activities that look at their thinking skills, their speech and language development, memory skills, coordination, hearing and vision. If you suspect your child is having difficulty in any of these areas, please call 508-748-0100 for an appointment.

All screening appointments are scheduled by calling Sippican School at 508-748-0100.

Village Christmas Fair

Preparations are being completed for an All-Church Christmas Fair to be held at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church on Saturday, November 13 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. There you will find choice items at an Opportunity Table as well as a Country Store, hand-knitted items, jewelry, Christmas crafts, candles, plants, a bakery table, as well as delicious frozen food to take home. At 11:00 am lunch will be available with home-made soup, sandwich rolls of chicken or seafood with shrimp, and dessert of apple crisp with ice cream. Face painting artists will be there for the children and there will be something for all ages!

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Voices in Rochester

The children of "Voices in Time" will be entertaining for a special Thanksgiving Dinner at Rochester's Memorial School for the Rochester Council on Aging (COA) on Thursday, November 18 at 5:00 pm. The event is sponsored by the Rochester Police Brotherhood.

"Voices in Time" is a local vocal troupe that performs under the direction of vocal instructor Sharon Jensen of Rochester. The group, now in its ninth year, has been volunteering their services in providing good, old-fashioned entertainment for a variety of public venues including nursing homes, assisted livings, community fairs, and fund-raising events. The troupe includes children from ages 6 to 17 years of age. They have performed this year for more than 25 public events. For more information about "Voices in Time," please contact Sharon Jensen at 508-494-5383.

Mattapoisett Woman's Club

Come and join the November 18 meeting of the Mattapoisett Woman's Club. Their speaker, Patricia Shepherd, will discuss "The Environment, Birds, and the Oil Spill." Representing the Lloyd Environmental Center, a non-profit organization whose mission is the conservation of natural resources through education and research, Ms. Shepherd has been the educational director for eight-and-a-half years. As our inheritors, over 9,000 students a year are taught by the Lloyd Center. Guests are always welcome. Please contact Janet at 508-758-8992 for more information.

Sippican Seniors Meeting

The next monthly meeting of the Sippican Seniors will be held on Friday November 12 at the Marion VFW (Route 6) in Marion beginning at 1:30 pm. Entertainment will be provided by Mansion Heirs and refreshments will be served. Tickets will be on sale for the Holiday Party in December or by contacting Natalie Sullivan at 508-748-1467. Cost is \$12 per person. The December meeting will be the Holiday Party.

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MOVIE REVIEW

Comic Clan

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The Incredibles. With the voices of Craig T. Nelson and Holly Hunter. Directed by Brad Bird. Running time: 118 minutes. MPAA rating: PG.

There are moments (and a lot of them) in *The Incredibles* as giddily exciting as anything since Steven Spielberg retired Indiana Jones. It does what the bloated *Sky Captain* and the *World of Tomorrow* failed to do — it re-animates the *thrill*, not just the nostalgia, of old-school comic books and pulp adventure, yet also seamlessly joins it to a modern self-awareness. The details alone are miraculous: the way a doorknob or a car-door frame crumples slightly in the grasp of a frustrated superhero (the car door, in a great touch, won't shut afterward), or the movie's hilarious mini-lecture on why a cape is an impractical adornment for a superhero costume. The film scores its laughs and adrenaline with nary a cheap trick.

Writer/director Brad Bird, a veteran of *The Simpsons*, is now batting two for two: His previous animated feature was 1999's wondrous *The Iron Giant*, ignored during its theatrical release but passionately embraced on video in the years since. My wariness of Pixar films (the colorful, amusing *Finding Nemo* is an exception) goes back to the overrated *Toy Story*, but I dared to hope that Bird's involvement would override any Disney-ness clinging to the project, and indeed it does. Bird brings a fine eye for the human to his more-than-human characters; even the motivations of the piece's super-villain, the resentful Syndrome (voice by Jason Lee), are wretchedly understandable.

The first half hour or so tracks the downfall of two superheroes, Mr. Incredible (Craig T. Nelson) and Elastigirl (Holly Hunter), driven into obscurity and enforced mediocrity along with all the other superhumans after society has litigated them off their pedestals. They become Bob and Helen Parr, an insurance-company drone and his stay-at-home wife, raising three kids, two of whom — Violet (author Sarah Vowell) and Dash (Spencer Fox) — also have superpowers, which they've been cautioned to keep hidden. When Bob is pulled out of retirement by the threat of a huge killer



robot, Helen responds as if he were cheating on her. "Is this rubble?" she pointedly asks Bob after his secret night out with fellow retired hero Frozone (Samuel L. Jackson), finding a bit of collapsed building on his shirt that's as incriminating as lipstick on his collar.

In outline, the set-up is a bit like Alan Moore's postmodern comic book *Watchmen*, in which faded superheroes, rendered illegal by the government, go into action one last time after one of their number is murdered. *The Incredibles* is lighter of heart, though, with action sequences — like Dash's sprint across water to evade a squadron of manned circular saws, or the way Helen manages to get herself stuck in three doors at once — that will go down as classics. The heroes learn to embrace who they are, while the jealous villain envisions a future where no one is exemplary or heroic — in other words, all the same. The movie's subtle message that diversity should be honored, rather than everyone joining in the same groupthink to promote "healing" or whatever, couldn't be more timely.

Theaters have been inundated with superhero movies, or knockoffs like *The Matrix*, for the past fifteen years (the success of 1989's *Batman* started it, and the astronomical rise of 2002's *Spider-Man* rejuvenated it). Some have been fine (I have a soft spot for the glum *X-Men* films, and I am among the few admirers of 2003's tortured *Hulk*); most have been as thin as the pages that spawned them (no pun intended — 1997's *Spawn* may have been the worst of the worst). You certainly have every reason to be mightily sick of super-stories, as am I; two of my favorite comic-book-derived movies of recent years, *Ghost World* and *American Splendor*, distanced themselves thoroughly from adolescent power fantasies. But *The Incredibles* is something else, a glowing pastiche made not only with love for four-color escapism but with respect for the all-ages audience.

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 The Polar Express (G) – 12:30, 12:45, 2:40, 2:55, 1:05, 3:15, 4:50, 5:05, 7:05, 7:15, 9:20
 Shall We Dance? (PG-13) – 7:05, 9:20
 The Incredibles (PG) – 12:40, 1:00, 3:30, 4:05, 6:55, 7:00, 9:25, 9:30
 After the Sunset (PG-13) – 12:35, 2:45, 4:50, 7:10, 9:15
 Ladder 49 (PG-13) – 9:35
 The Grudge (PG-13) – 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:35
 Alfie (R) – 12:45, 3:00, 5:10, 7:25, 9:45
 Ray (PG-13) – 12:30, 3:45, 6:50, 9:50
 Saw (R) – 1:25, 4:05, 7:25, 9:40
 Shark Tale (PG) – 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00
 Team America: World Police (R) – 9:40

FLAGSHIP CINEMA 8

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 Movie Hotline: (508) 291-4100

Friday, November 12 through Thursday, November 18.

The Incredibles (PG) – 12:40, 3:30, 7:00, 9:30
 The Grudge (PG-13) – 12:55, 4:15, 7:20, 9:25
 Ray (PG-13) – 12:30, 3:35, 6:50, 9:45
 After the Sunset (PG-13) – 12:35, 4:05, 7:10, 9:20
 Seed of Chucky (R) – 1:00, 3:20, 5:15, 7:15, 9:35
 The Polar Express (G) – 12:30, 2:40, 4:50, 7:05, 9:20
 Saw (R) – 3:40, 7:20, 9:35
 Surviving Christmas (PG-13) – 12:50
 Shark Tale (PG) – 12:45, 3:15, 5:20
 Shall We Dance? (PG-13) – 7:15, 9:25

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 I Heart Huckabees (R) – Fri: 12:50, 3:50, 6:45, 9:05; Sat: 12:50, 3:50, 6:45, 9:05; Sun: 12:50, 3:50, 6:45; Mon-Thru: 3:45, 6:45
 The Motorcycle Diaries (R) – Fri: 12:30, 3:30, 6:30, 9:00; Sat: 12:30, 3:30, 6:30, 9:00; Sun: 12:30, 3:30, 6:35; Mon-Thru: 3:30, 6:35
 Ray (PG-13) – Fri: 12:15, 3:20, 7:30; Sat: 12:15, 3:20, 7:30; Sun: 12:15, 3:20, 6:30; Mon-Thru: 3:20, 6:30
 What the Bleep Do We Know? (NR) – Fri: 12:40, 3:40, 6:40, 8:55; Sat: 12:40, 3:40, 6:40, 8:55; Sun: 12:40, 3:40, 6:40; Mon-Thru: 3:40, 6:45

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Tuesday, November 16 – Meatball sandwich, Spanish rice, carrots, fresh fruit, milk, bologna sandwich.

Wednesday, November 17 – Turkey dinner, bologna sandwich, mashed potatoes, peas, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday, November 18 – Hot dog on a roll, ham sandwich, potato puffs, peas, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday, November 19 – French bread pizza, tuna salad sandwich, carrot sticks, fresh fruit, milk.

• COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, November 15 – Orange juice, tuna noodle casserole, peas, whole wheat roll, butterscotch pudding, sugar-free butterscotch pudding.

Tuesday, November 16 – Chicken l'orange, scalloped potatoes, broccoli, oatmeal bread, pears in light syrup.

Wednesday, November 17 – Cream of spinach soup, beef pattie with gravy, confetti rice, white bread, apple.

Thursday, November 18 – THANKSGIVING MEAL: Turkey with gravy, cranberry

sauce, whipped potatoes, winter squash, multi-grain roll, assorted pies, graham wafer.

Friday, November 19 – Cheese lasagna, tomato sauce, Tuscan blend vegetables, Vienna bread, mixed fruit in light syrup.

• CENTER SCHOOL MATTAPOISETT

Monday, November 15 – Hot ham and cheese croissant, tomato soup, veggie sticks with dip, fresh grapes, milk.

Tuesday, November 16 – Chicken nuggets, creamy mashed potatoes, baby carrots, chicken rice soup, chilled pineapple, milk.

Wednesday, November 17 – Penne pasta, chicken parmesan, hot garlic bread, salad greens, minestrone soup, chilled pears, milk.

Thursday, November 18 – Hamburger/cheeseburger, macaroni salad, fresh veggie sticks, vegetable soup, chilled peaches, milk.

Friday, November 19 – Tuna or seafood salad roll, clam chowder, cucumber wheels, ranch dip, orange smiles, milk.

• FORD MIDDLE SCHOOL ACUSHNET

Monday, November 15 – Hamburger/cheeseburger, ham sandwich, potato puffs, mixed vegetables, fresh fruit, milk.

Tuesday, November 16 – Meatball sandwich, Spanish rice, carrots, fresh fruit, milk, bologna sandwich.

Wednesday, November 17 – Turkey dinner, bologna sandwich, mashed potatoes, peas, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday, November 18 – Hot dog on a roll, ham sandwich, potato puffs, peas, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday, November 19 –

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• MEMORIAL SCHOOL ROCHESTER

Monday, November 15 – Hot ham and cheese croissant, tomato soup, veggie sticks with dip, fresh grapes, milk.

Tuesday, November 16 – Chicken nuggets, creamy mashed potatoes, baby carrots, chicken rice soup, chilled pineapple, milk.

Wednesday, November 17 – Penne pasta, chicken parmesan, hot garlic bread, salad greens, minestrone soup, chilled pears, milk.

Thursday, November 18 – Hamburger/cheeseburger, macaroni salad, fresh veggie sticks, vegetable soup, chilled peaches, milk.

Friday, November 19 – Tuna or seafood salad roll, clam chowder, cucumber wheels, ranch dip, orange smiles, milk.

• OLD COLONY REGIONAL VOKE HIGH SCHOOL

Monday, November 15 – Chicken soup, turkey club, French fries, mixed vegetables, pineapple.

Tuesday, November 16 – Grilled hot dog, chili, baked beans, potato chips, peas, sliced pears.

Wednesday, November 17 – Stuffed shells, cold cut wrap, salad, apple, jello.

Thursday, November 18 – Barbecue pork, turkey salad, spicy fries, carrots, fruit crisp.

Friday, November 19 – Pizza, tuna, pretzels, green beans, juice, fruit.

• OLD HAMMONDTOWN SCHOOL, MATTAPOISETT

Monday, November 15 – Hot ham and cheese croissant, tomato soup, veggie sticks

with dip, fresh grapes, milk.

Tuesday, November 16 – Chicken nuggets, creamy mashed potatoes, baby carrots, chicken rice soup, chilled pineapple, milk.

Wednesday, November 17 – Penne pasta, chicken parmesan, hot garlic bread, salad greens, minestrone soup, chilled pears, milk.

Thursday, November 18 – Hamburger/cheeseburger, macaroni salad, fresh veggie sticks, vegetable soup, chilled peaches, milk.

Friday, November 19 – Tuna or seafood salad roll, clam chowder, cucumber wheels, ranch dip, orange smiles, milk.

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INNER VIEWS

An American Band

By Kenneth J. Souza

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Just as The Who may have inadvertently committed themselves to endless years of touring by boasting "hope I die before I get old" in "My Generation," rock legends **Grand Funk Railroad** might have also tipped the scales by singing about being "out on the road for 40 days" in their classic "We're An American Band."

Those 40 days have turned into four years for the present incarnation of Grand Funk Railroad — a lineup of familiar faces more akin to Ringo Starr's All-Starr Band collaborations than the original power trio founded by **Don Brewer**, **Mel Schacher** and **Mark Farner** back in 1969. Both drummer Brewer and bassist Schacher are still chugging along with the Railroad, but Farner is off doing his own thing these days.

But the remaining members have certainly found capable replacements in keyboardist **Tim Cashion**, formerly of Bob Seger's Silver Bullet Band; vocalist **Max Carl** of .38 Special fame; and none other than guitarist **Bruce Kulick**, who toured not only with acts like Meat Loaf and Michael Bolton but also served as lead guitarist with KISS for some 12 years before the band reunited and redonned their classic facepaint.

"It was just kind of a happenstance thing," said founder Don Brewer of pulling together the eclectic and talented roster of musicians. "We had been pursuing Mark (Farner) about getting back together in '95 and '96 ... because Mel and I wanted to continue on. So we started putting out feelers."

The first to join was Max Carl, who shared an affinity for R&B and soul music with Brewer. Then Tim Cashion was added to the ranks having previously worked with Brewer back in the Bob Seger days. It was also around that time that Brewer said he first met Bruce Kulick, who was then playing with Michael Bolton, who was the opening act on one of Seger's mid-1980s tours.

"I used to play drums in the '80s for Bob Seger," Brewer said. "While I was on tour ... Bruce was in Michael Bolton's band. Everybody was going: 'who is that guitar player?' He had this great crossover (style) between R&B and rock. I thought he'd be perfect for Grand Funk, so I e-mailed him through his website."

Kulick admitted he was excited at the prospect of playing with Grand Funk Railroad, but he also wanted to make sure the mysterious e-mail was, in fact, from Don Brewer. "You never know who anybody is over the Internet," Kulick said. "We finally spoke and he was really excited about me joining (the band). That happened at a very stressful time, while I was in the process of moving my parents from New York to L.A. It was like a ray of light."

It was also timely in that Kulick had been recently released from KISS so that founding guitarist Ace Frehley could return for the band's big reunion and subsequent tours.

"I was very aware of (Grand Funk Railroad) and what they were doing," Kulick said of his joining this new lineup. "It was much in the same way as joining KISS ... it was good music based around good hooks."



Although the band promises to keep longtime GFR fans happy by playing all the classics like "We're An American Band," "Some Kind of Wonderful," and "Locomotion" in their 80- to 90-minute set, they're also spicing it up with a couple of fresher tunes, too.

"Obviously, we stick with the big hits ... (but) we didn't want to be just a clone band, either," Kulick said. "The new stuff really puts a different spin on it, (so) we're not just looking to the past."

"We've got four new songs, (including) a piece in the middle of the show where everybody's playing drums," Brewer added. "And when we do the new songs, the take off like a bottle rocket ... they all go over really well and are all strong vocally."

"I'm just playing tambourine in that one," Kulick said of the percussion piece. "But I look good doing it!"

There's no denying the staying power of many Grand Funk Railroad hits — in fact, Kulick said he even recalled an impromptu jam one time between KISS' Paul Stanley and Jon Bon Jovi where they just started singing "We're An American Band."

"You think about what a blessing it is to perform and play (these) kind of songs," Kulick said. "Those kind of things ... really make you feel great."

Grand Funk Railroad will be performing at **Plymouth Memorial Hall** in Plymouth, MA on **Saturday, November 13** at **7:30 pm**. Tickets are priced at \$37 and \$42 and are now on sale at the Plymouth Hall box office, located in the lobby of the Radisson Plymouth Hotel (180 Water Street, 508-747-0234), online at www.ticketweb.com, or by calling 866-468-7619.

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Local Police Logs

MARION

The following log excerpts are for the week of October 31, 2004 through November 6, 2004:

- Spring Street – adult arrest (junior operator without parent, lights violation, possession of Class D substance)
- Wareham Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Cottage Street – parking violation
- Front Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Mill Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Spring Street – adult arrest (warrant)
- Holmes Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Main Street – suspicious activity
- Green Street – suspicious activity
- Point Road – missing person
- Quail's Crossing Road – animal complaint
- Mill Street – animal complaint
- Washburn Park Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Front Street – larceny/past
- Pitcher Street – larceny/past
- Mill Street – adult arrest (protective custody)
- Spring Street – youths in street
- Oakdale Avenue – officer wanted
- Shooters – assist other police department
- Mill Street – incapacitated person
- Marion Road – assist other police department
- Spring Street – suspicious activity
- Mansfield Avenue – family disturbance
- Front Street – waterways complaint

- Island Wharf Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Front Street – noise complaint
- Mill Street – larceny/past
- County Road – vandalism/past
- Front Street – adult arrest (speeding, negligent operation of motor vehicle, operating under the influence of liquor: third offense)
- Wareham Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Pine Hill Lane – animal complaint
- Stuart Island – waterways complaint
- Holly Road – noise complaint.

MATTAPOISETT

The following log excerpts are for the week of October 24, 2004 through October 30, 2004:

- County Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Acushnet Road – motor vehicle stolen/theft
- County Road – suspicious persons
- Crystal Spring Road – ATV/recreational vehicle complaint
- Barstow Street – adult arrest
- North Street – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Marion Road – assist other agency
- Marion Road – assault
- Marion Road – unwanted person
- Route 195 East – brush fire
- Angelica Avenue – complaint
- Beech Wood Road – suspicious activity
- Water Street – vandalism
- Marion Road – simple threats
- Waterview Lane – vandalism
- Martin Avenue – suspicious persons
- North Street – suspicious activity
- North Avenue – assist other agency
- Marion Road – suspicious persons
- North Street – fire
- Brandt Island Road – officer wanted
- Fairhaven Road – mutual aid/police

- North Street – adult arrest (warrant)
- Fairhaven Road – safety/road hazard
- Upland Way – motor vehicle accident.

ROCHESTER

The following log excerpts are for the week of November 2, 2004 through November 9, 2004:

- County Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Dexter Lane – animal control
- North Avenue – parking violation
- Dexter Lane – civil complaint
- Cranberry Highway – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Cranberry Highway – car fire
- Cranberry Highway – suspicious motor vehicle
- Mattapoisett Road – animal control
- Marion Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Main Street – assist other agency
- Wolf Island Road – officer wanted
- Quaker Lane – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Snipatuit Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Marion Road – keep the peace
- Ryder Road – civil complaint
- Rounseville Road – highway matter
- Bishop Road – civil complaint
- Neck Road – highway matter
- Neck Road – civil complaint
- Braley Hill Road – traffic hazard
- Dexter Lane – officer wanted
- Hiller Road – annoying phone calls
- Vaughan Hill Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Hartley Road – vandalism
- High Street – ATV/recreational vehicle complaint
- Bernards Way – suspicious activity
- Mary's Pond Road – suspicious motor vehicle.

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49 Heredity letters

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65 Gumbo thickener
68 Stephen King book
69 Brazilian kicker
71 Glowing
74 Congregational comeback
75 The Fresh Prince's place
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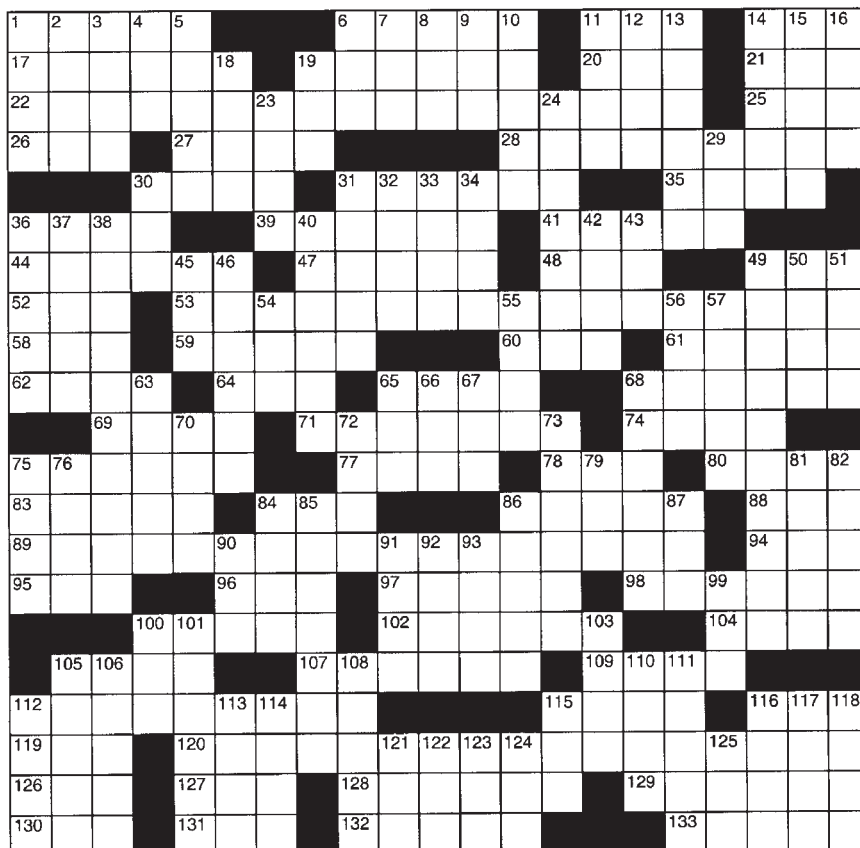
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54 Battery size
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56 Dire
57 Diamond features
63 Bridges and Brummell
65 Lyric poem
66 Kipling novel
67 Knock
68 Domingo's birthplace
70 Wing or flipper
72 Melville monomaniac
73 "— a Kind of Hush" ('67 hit)
75 '67 Peter Sellers film, with "The"
76 Homer's field
79 Prepare for combat
81 Comic Leon
82 Had in mind
84 Related
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- 86 Article of faith
87 Bunyan's whacker
90 Tina's ex
91 Actor Bert
92 Crooked
93 Torrid or Frigid
99 Prone
100 Charge
101 Pounded a portcullis
103 Defrost
105 Plant pest
106 Versify
108 It may be platinum
110 Inspect too closely?
111 Castle campaign
112 Singer James
113 Roof edge
114 100 dinars
115 Staff
116 Young of "The Last Detail"
117 — majesty
118 Part of M.A.
121 Chemical ending
122 Ford of football
123 Common appliances
124 Swell place?
125 — degree



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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A rejection of your attempt to be friendly leaves you with two choices: Try again, or give up. If you want to make another effort, go slowly. Let things develop without pressure.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) It could be a problem dealing with unfamiliar people who do things differently from what you're used to. But rely on that strong sense of purpose to get you through this difficult period.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) To avoid neglecting a personal matter because of a demanding new workplace schedule, start prioritizing immediately. Knowing how to apportion your time takes a little while to set up.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) It won't be easy to avoid some of the pressures that come with change. Best advice: Take things a step at a time, and you'll be less likely to trip up while things are in a chaotic state.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A much-talked-about workplace change could be coming soon. Be sure to get all the details involved in the process, and once you have them, you can decide how you want to deal with it.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You might still believe that your trust was betrayed, although the facts would appear to prove the opposite. But by the week's end you should learn something that will help set the record straight.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Holiday plans could be a challenge because of shifting circumstances. But a more settled period starts by midweek, allowing you to firm up your plan-making once and for all.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) The facts continue to be on your side. So make use of them in dealing with any challenge to your stated position. Also, open your mind to the offer of help from an unlikely source.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) There could still be a communication problem holding up the resolution of a troublesome situation. Stay with it, and eventually your message will get through and be understood.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A possible change in your workplace schedule might create a chaotic situation for a while. But once things begin to settle down, you might find that this could work to your advantage.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A recent job-linked decision might need to be reassessed because of the possibility of finding benefits you might have overlooked. Check out all related data to help in the search.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A personal situation you agreed to might not be as acceptable to the other person involved in the matter. Avoid pressuring and bullying. Instead, seek common ground by talking things through.

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<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS #881 Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Michael & Debra Silva, 82 Vaughan Hill Road, Assessors plan 31 lot 9C, who are seeking a special permit under section VIII.C.2. to allow accessory structures in the front yard area and a special permit under section VIII.C.16 to allow the use and occupancy of a temporary trailer during the construction of a permanent dwelling on the premises. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, November 18, 2004, 7:30 PM, in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall. Richard J. Manning, Jr. 11/04, 11/11</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT BOARD OF APPEALS Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following applications and petition: Application of Richard and Lynn Regan of 12 County Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 12 County Road. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 3.1.2.2, 3.1.2.3 and 5.8.1.1 of the Zoning By-Law to construct an addition to a nonconforming dwelling and to create a second dwelling unit that will not meet the required setbacks. The property is further described as Plat 10, Lot 71 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, November 18, 2004 at 6:00 PM. #988 Application of Donald R. Correia of 1 Lynfield Lane #4, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 89 County Road. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under Section 5.8.2 of the Zoning By-Law in order to obtain a Class II Used Car License. The property is further described as Plat 8, Lot 34 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, November 18, 2004 at 6:16 PM. #989 Petition of Mark Moncino of 225 Gold Creek Ct., Atlanta, GA, property owner Thomas Sheerin, re property located at 2 Seaconet Road. The petitioner is seeking a Variance under Section 6.5 of the Zoning By-Law to raze an existing dwelling and construct a new dwelling that will not meet the required setbacks. The property is further described as Plot 15A, Lot 50 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room on Thursday, November 18, 2004 at 6:30 PM. #990 Complete applicaitons and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours. Jeffrey R. Chase, Chairperson Nancy O'Brien Girard F. Oliva Jack R. McGill Scott E. Pegurri 11/04, 11/11</p> <hr/>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS #883 The Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Dorothy Ann Darling, 65 Sarah Sherman Road, Assessors plan 28 lot 8K, who is seeking a special permit under VIII.D.1. to allow a business in the agricultural/residential district. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, December 9, 2004, 7:45 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall. Richard D. Manning, Jr., Chairman 11/11, 11/18</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS #882 The Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Daniel J. Mullens, (Barnes Tree Service) 123 Dexter Lane, Assessors plan 6 lot 46, who is seeking a special permit under VIII.C.2.d. to allow the construction of an oversized garage; a special permit under VIII.B.1. to allow construction on an unaccepted Town road and a variance from the 80' setback requirements under VIII.D.8. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, December 9, 2004, 7:30 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall. Richard D. Manning, Jr., Chairman 11/11, 11/18</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, November 23, 2004, at 4:45 PM in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the variance application requested by Victor J. and Victoria B. Brier, pertaining to the property located at 163 County Road. The property is further identified as Lot 40C on Assessors' Plan 22. The following variance is requested from Title 5 of the State Environmental Code: 310 CMR 15.212: Depth to Groundwater; To install the bottom of the soil absorption system four (4) feet above the maximum high groundwater rather than the minimum five (5) foot requirement. Elizabeth S. Dunn, Chairman 11/11, 11/18</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS #884 The Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of Calvin & Patricia Maxim, 227 Ryder Road, Assessors plan 21 lot 5 J, who are seeking a special permit under section VIII.D.9.a. to allow conversion of a single family dwelling to a multi-family dwelling. The public hearing will be held on Thursday, December 9, 2004 at 8:00 PM in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall. Richard D. Manning, Jr., Chairman 11/11, 11/18</p> <hr/>	<p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 22, 2004 at 9:30 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Terry R. Eisen. The applicant proposes to construct a single family dwelling, to install a driveway and associated utilities and to fill and grade partially within the 100 ft. Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland and partially within the 200 ft. Riverfront Boundary. The project is located at Dexter Lane, and is further known as Lot #51 on Assessors Map #9. Conservation Commission 11/11</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 22, 2004 at 9:15 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by Sci Tech Construction, Inc. The applicant requests the Conservation Commission approve the Wetland Resource Area Delineation as present on the accompanying plan. The project is located at Brandt Island Road, and is further known as Lot #18B on Assessors Map #13. Conservation Commission 11/11</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 22, 2004 at 9:00 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by James Charrier. The applicant requests the Conservation Commission approve the Wetland Resource Area Delineation as present on the accompanying plan. The project is located at Marion Road, and is further known as Lot #146 on Assessors Map #5. Conservation Commission 11/11</p> <hr/> <p>LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 22, 2004 at 7:50 PM in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by YMCA of Greter New Bedford, Reservation Rd, c/o Gary Schuyler, 25 South Water St, New Bedford, MA. The proposed project is to construct a climbing wall with 3 poles and 6 anchor wires. The project is located at Reservation Road, and is further known as Lot #90 & 170 on Assessors Map #11. Conservation Commission 11/11</p> <hr/>

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Preschool Screening Clinic

A screening clinic for three- and four-year-olds will be offered by the Old Rochester Regional School District on Monday, November 22 at the Sippican School in Marion. Children who live in Marion, Mattapoissett or Rochester are eligible for appointments. The purpose of the screening is to identify young children with potential learning problems.

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Future clinics include January 10, 2005 at Center School; February 7, 2005 and March 21, 2005 at Sippican School; and April 11, 2005 at Center School.

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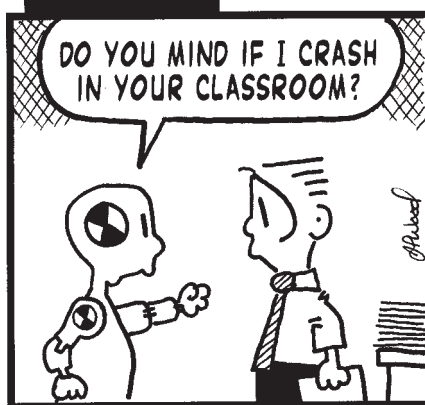
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By Chris Richcreek

1. Name the four major-league franchises that, through 2004, have never had one of its pitchers toss a no-hitter.
2. In 2004, Rafael Palmeiro and Barry Bonds became the third pair of 500-homer players to hit homers in the same game. Who were the first two pairs?
3. How many NFL head coaches have reached the Super Bowl with three different franchises?
4. True or false: Between 1988-1992, Duke's men's basketball team was in the NCAA Final Four each year.
5. Who was the only player other than Wayne Gretzky and Mario Lemieux to lead the NHL in assists for a season between 1980 and 1994?
6. Who are the only two auto-racing brothers to have each won an IROC series championship?
7. Who was the last men's tennis player before Roger Federer to win three of the four Grand Slam events in a calendar year?

Answers

1. Colorado Rockies, New York Mets, San Diego Padres and Tampa Bay Devil Rays.
2. Willie Mays and Ernie Banks in 1970 and Mays and Hank Aaron in 1971.
3. None. Four coaches (Bill Parcells, Dan Reeves, Don Shula and Dick Vermeil) have taken two different teams to Super Bowls.
4. True — the Blue Devils won the title in 1991 and 1992.
5. Adam Oates of Boston in 1993 (97 assists).
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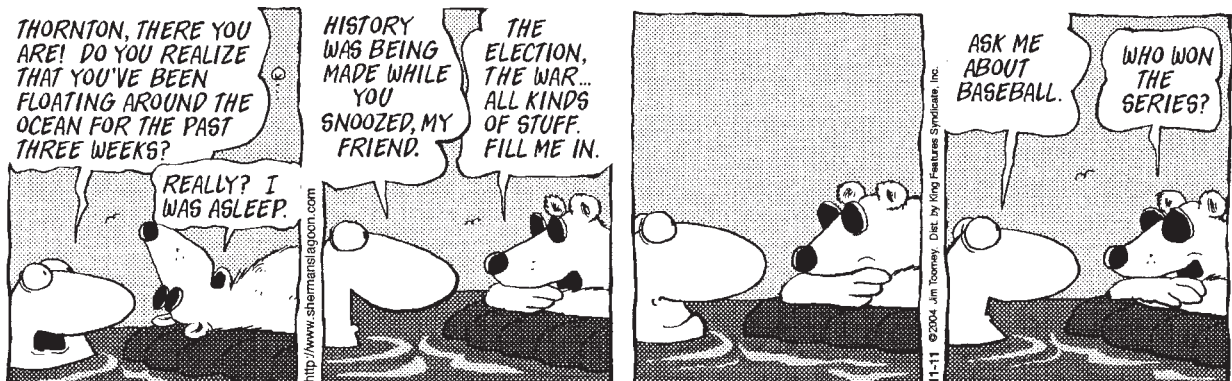
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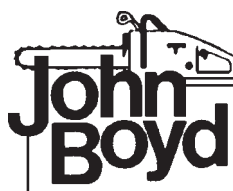
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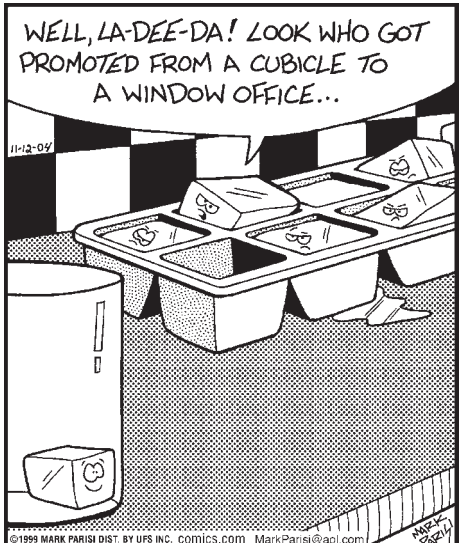
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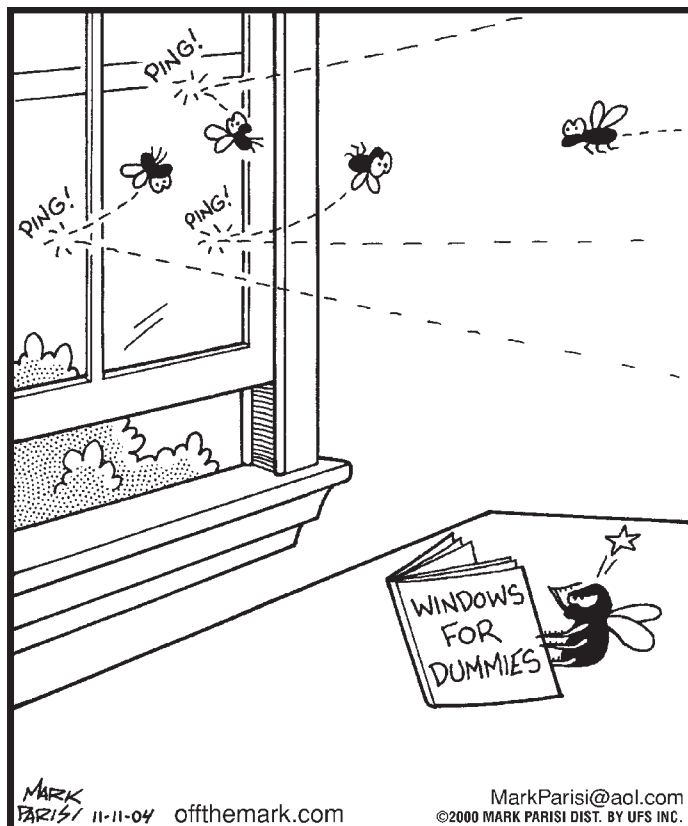
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November 12:	Fri.	7:09	7:31	12:16	1:09
November 13:	Sat.	7:56	8:20	12:59	1:57
November 14:	Sun.	8:47	9:12	1:44	2:47
November 15:	Mon.	9:40	10:07	2:31	3:39
November 16:	Tues.	10:38	11:06	3:21	4:35
November 17:	Wed.	11:37	...	4:15	5:46
November 18:	Thurs.	12:07	12:39	5:20	7:24
November 19:	Fri.	1:09	1:40	7:02	8:36
November 20:	Sat.	2:12	2:43	9:02	9:26
November 21:	Sun.	3:14	3:44	10:05	10:03
November 22:	Mon.	4:12	4:40	10:53	10:32
November 23:	Tues.	5:05	5:31	11:33	10:59
November 24:	Wed.	5:53	6:16	11:59	11:29
November 25:	Thurs.	6:36	6:58	...	12:38
November 26:	Fri.	7:16	7:38	12:01	1:10
November 27:	Sat.	7:54	8:17	12:41	1:45
November 28:	Sun.	8:31	8:56	1:21	2:21

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